City of San Bruno Community Preparedness Committee



Minutes of February 18, 2021

Call to Order: Meeting called to order at 6:30 pm

1. ROLL CALL	Present	<u>Absent</u>
<u>Committee Members:</u>		
Janet Lutus: Chair	X	
Ron LaPedis: Vice Chair	X	
Malcolm Robinson: Member	X	
George Peponis: Member		X
Zidane Mili: Member	X	
Ex-Officio Members		
Walt Long: S.B. Amateur Radio Club Liaison		X
Doug Kunze: Red Cross	X	
Dave Dornlas, Radio Club temp Liaison	X	
Staff Members		
Gage Schlice: Fire Emergency Manager	X	
Ari Delay: Fire Chief	X	
Scott Rogge: Police	X	
Council Liaison		
Linda Mason		X

2. **REVIEW OF AGENDA**

Agenda for February 18, 2021 meeting was reviewed and approved.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Reviewed and approved meeting minutes of January 21, 2021.

4. PUBLIC COMMENTS FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

None

5. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

Zidane has experience in social media and suggested using that to pass information. However, Gage said the City has no social media policy at this time so must wait on that. Information will go through the Fire Dept and can be put on the FD Facebook site. Ready.gov/calendar has monthly categories of preparedness information which can be selected. San Bruno CityNet Services (Channel 1) can possibly be used to pass on preparedness information.

6. **STAFF REPORTS**

Fire – San Bruno Fire Dept is getting two new engines next year. CCC will return in mid-April for another spike of fire mitigation in Crestmoor Canyon. The FD has received grants for new radios, Ipads, car seats and air compressors to refill air tanks for firefighters. Use of goats was discussed as a good means of fire mitigation. Several other cities have used them in the past. Chief Delay was congratulated for using ARES and CERT members to help in the evacuations in the fires last summer. Gage said Covid testing is still going on in San Bruno at two locations, on Huntington and Sneath Lane, and volunteers are welcome. Covid vaccines are being given at a new location on Airport Blvd and 380 at the parking garage. 6,000 San Bruno residents have received the vaccine.

Police – Scott said crime is on the rise including theft of valuables in cars, thefts of the cars themselves, and delivered packages. People are still leaving cars unlocked with valuables inside. Thieves are now using Bluetooth to track and find cars! On a good note, homeowners who have cameras are able to assist police in identifying thieves with their camera footage.

7. **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Radio Club – The club had its first ZOOM meeting on Feb 1. We will continue this for a while on the usual meeting night which is the first Monday of the month. Dave has built a website, sbamradio.org and many radio operators have already registered there. Chief Delay has acquired two computers and battery backup for the radio room in the EOC. Thanks, Chief!

Red Cross – Doug said there have been no responses needed for a month. The vaccines at the location on Airport Blvd have been administered by SB firefighter/paramedics. The next blood drive is scheduled for early April.

OES - None

CERT – Online CERT classes started with many sign-ups but has dwindled to just a few so the classes are in limbo for now.

8. **NEW BUSINESS**

At the March meeting, the discussion will be to decide how to get preparedness information out to our citizens and what materials shall be used.

9. **AGENDA BUILDING**

The next meeting will be on March 18th at 6:30pm

10. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 7:53 pm